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# The Law School Record

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## **FROM DEAN COLLENS**

I am delighted to report that the Trial Advocacy Team of Maria McCarthy, Scott Anderson and RoseAnne McDonnell won the regional championship in trial advocacy last weekend. The team was coached by Judge Warren Wolfson, Associate Judge David Erickson, and Ellen Mandeltort and Jack Murphy of the Cook County State's Attorney's Office.

The team will advance to the final competition, which will be held in Dallas, Texas, on March 16, 17 and 18.

On behalf of the entire law school community, I would like to congratulate the team members and coaches.

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All students are invited to the Second Annual Green Lecture in Law and Technology, to be delivered this year by Professor Peter Martin of the Cornell Law School on Tuesday, February 28, at 12:00 noon in Room 101. Professor Martin, formerly dean at Cornell, is writing a treatise on Social Security law. It is the first treatise specifically written for CD-ROM, a compact laser-read disk that can hold hundreds of thousands of pages of text. The lecture is entitled "From Parchment, to Paper, to Laserdisk: How Legal Information Technology Affects Law Itself."

Students are also invited to meet informally with Professor Martin today, at 3:00 p.m. in Room 304. He will hold a student colloquium on the changes in the relationship between students and faculty brought about by computers in legal education.

## **FACULTY NEWS**

**Clinical Professors Marc Kadish and Richard Kling** were selected as professor/reporters for the upcoming Associate Judges Conference in March. They co-authored an article entitled "Critical Issues in the Trial of Cases Involving Sexual Abuse of Children." The article will be presented at the Associate Judges Seminar on March 9 and 10.

On February 8, Professor Kadish presented some aspects of the paper to the Matrimonial Committee of the Chicago Bar Association.

**JUNE 1989 AND SUMMER 1989 GRADUATES: COMMENCEMENT INVITATIONS,  
GRADUATION PICTURES, CAP & GOWN ORDERS**

Arrangements for participating in the June 1989 Graduation are to be made during the week of March 28-31, 1989. Participants include January 1989 and June 1989 graduates, including LL.M. and MALS students. All students who intend to complete their degree requirements at the end of the 1989 summer session will also be able to participate in the June ceremony. Summer graduates must first see Jerry Brandes, Registrar, to complete a graduation card. Other graduates who have not yet completed graduation cards must do so immediately.

Invitations and instructions for commencement will be given out and cap & gown order cards will be completed. Graduation pictures will be taken at the same time. Graduates are asked to reserve a time period for photos on the sign-up sheet located on the center post in the Student Cafeteria. Staff will be available outside Room 328 to handle these arrangements during the following times: Tuesday, March 28, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Wednesday, March 29, through Friday, March 31, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. If you cannot handle the commencement arrangements during these scheduled dates, please see Barbara Clemmer in Room 221.

**JUNE 1989 AND SUMMER 1989 GRADUATES:**

If you have a parent or grandparent who is a graduate of IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law, please inform Barbara Clemmer in the Placement Office, Room 221, before April 3, 1989. Alumni parents and grandparents of graduates will be asked to march in the academic procession at the June Commencement, sit on stage, and confer the doctoral hood on their graduate, if there is ample room on stage.

**STUDENT ACTIVITIES**

**Student Bar Association**

**Board of Governors Meeting**

The next SBA Board of Governors meeting is set for Tuesday, March 7, from 5:15 to 5:45 p.m. If you have any items for the agenda, please let Julie Koerner know or leave a note on the SBA door.

**Barrister's Bash**

The Barrister's Bash (student, faculty and staff semi-formal ball) is set for April 1, 1989, (yes, April Fools Day) at the Chicago Hilton and Towers from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Ticket sales begin on March 6. Contact any of your SBA representatives. You will get a T-shirt with your ticket purchase.

**American Bar Association/LSD**

The Spring Conference for the American Bar Association/Law Student Division is set for March 3 and 4, 1989, at Indiana University School of Law at Indianapolis. The Spring Conference is the time when all officers for the Seventh Circuit and liaisons to the Senior Bar Committees are elected and

appointed. These positions are open to all law students of ABA-accredited law schools, especially those that are members of the ABA/LSD. This is a great opportunity to be involved in what goes on in the legal community on a local and national level. The SBA would like more Chicago-Kent students to get involved in the ABA/LSD. Anyone who is interested in learning more about the Spring Conference or the ABA/LSD, or in running for or being appointed to one of these positions, please contact Timijanel Boyd or Jo Marie Fredericks at the SBA office, Room 202.

### **Chicago Bar Association**

The Chicago Bar Association presents many exciting and informative seminars to assist practitioners and law students in various areas of the law. CBA law student membership makes these seminars available to you at a 50% discount. Here's a list of some of the upcoming seminars:

March 1                      "The Art of Deposition Taking"  
3:00-6:00 p.m.

March 7                      "Corporation Law, Leveraged and Other Buyouts -- Law,  
3:00-6:00 p.m.                Morality and Markets"

March 9                      "Beyond the Will and Trust: A Practical Guide to Current  
3:00-6:00 p.m.                Issues in Estate Planning"

March 15                    "Evidence Update in Dissolution of Marriage Cases and  
3:00-6:00 p.m.                Criminal Cases"

April 6                      "Traffic Court Update"  
3:00-6:00 p.m.

These seminars are presented as part of the Continuing Legal Education Program of the Chicago Bar Association. In addition, as a law student member these benefits are available to you:

- \* Extensive Law Library hours (evening and weekend)
- \* Private dining facilities
- \* Young Lawyer Section committees and activities and sports leagues

If you would like additional information, leave a message for Yvonne Owens on the Student Message Board which is located adjacent to the Student Bar Association's Office. Come join the CBA!!!

### **Chicago-Kent Law Review**

The Chicago-Kent Law Review is pleased to announce the results of its editorial board elections for the 1989-90 school year.

Editor-in-Chief  
Donna Lach

Managing Editor  
John Kepich

Executive Editors  
Barat McClain  
Mary Mills  
Steve Krull  
George Spathis  
Anne Frueh

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Leo Dombrowski	Rosemary Krimbel
Mike Bernadoni	Rachel McKinzie
Kathryn Wyatt	Mike Taibleson
Liz Lemke	Brian Garelli

Environmental and Energy Law Program

There will be two receptions held on Tuesday, March 7, for students who are interested in becoming part of the Environmental and Energy Law Program.

The first reception will be held from 12:00 noon until 12:45 p.m. in Room 304. The second reception will be held from 5:00 p.m. until 5:45 p.m., also in Room 304.

Please join us to learn about the program and the opportunities offered to students in the program. You are welcome to contact either Professor Deutsch in room 305, 567-5008, or Professor Tarlock in room 506, 567-5713, to discuss the program before the receptions. Please call or visit one of us if you cannot attend either reception.

Brochures describing the program are available in room 305 and in the Admissions Office.

International Law Society

There will be a general meeting on Tuesday, February 28, at 11:45 a.m. All members are invited to attend. We will be nominating students for the 1989-90 International Law Society officer positions.

RESEARCH ASSISTANTS NEEDED

**Professor David Gerber** is looking for a research assistant to begin during the summer and continue next year. Some knowledge of French or German would be helpful. First year students are encouraged to apply. Please see Professor Gerber in Room 632 or leave a resume with his secretary, Carol Johnson.

**Professor Gary Laser** is seeking a research assistant for the spring semester to work in the area of Civil Procedure and/or Clinical Education. A commitment of no less than 10 hours per week is required. Pay or independent research credit is available. Students who are interested may contact Professor Laser in his office, Room 601, or call 567-5050.

**Professor David Lee** is looking for a research assistant in the areas of procedure, legal reasoning, legal ethics, family law, and employment discrimination law. Work can be either for pay or for course credit. Other conditions of employment are flexible. Please contact Professor Lee at the Law Offices, Room 601.

**Professor David Mayer** seeks one or more research assistants during the spring semester and/or early summer to work on several small projects relating to jurisprudence and early American legal/constitutional history. Hours are flexible, with compensation at the standard rate. Students with some

background in historical research or some familiarity with U.S. constitutional history are preferred. Please see Professor Mayer in Room 217 or leave a resume at his office or with his secretary, Deborah Criswell, in Room 211.

## **CAREER SERVICES NEWS**

### **Work Study Students Needed**

If you are a student with work study authorization, the Career Services Office **NEEDS YOU!!** Interested students should stop by Room 221 ASAP to see Barbara Clemmer.

### **Students Needed to Assist with Midwest Public Interest Career Conference -**

Chicago-Kent is hosting this year's Midwest Public Interest Career Conference on Saturday, March 4. Students are needed to help host this event. Those students who are willing to volunteer for this are asked to give their names to Barbara Clemmer or Johnna McInnis in Room 221.

### **Professor Arthur Kinoy of Rutgers to Speak on the History of Law Student**

**Activism** - Professor Arthur Kinoy, founding member of the Center for Constitutional Rights and author of Rights on Trial, will be the keynote speaker for the Midwest Public Interest Conference. He will speak on "The History of Law Student Activism" on Friday, March 3, at 5:00 p.m. in Room 102/103. A reception will follow at 6:00 p.m. ALL students are encouraged to attend and to bring others who might be interested in hearing Professor Kinoy speak.

### **Upcoming Career Development Programs**

1) **Practice Area Panels** - The Career Services Office will host a series of practice area panels during the first two weeks in March. All students are invited to hear Chicago-Kent alumni discuss the varied aspects of: 1) working in a corporate in-house law department; 2) practicing litigation in the public or private sector; and 3) working in a government agency setting. Don't miss the opportunity to receive an insider's view of a practice specialty.

Scheduled dates and rooms are as follows:

**Corporate Practice Panel** - Tuesday, March 7, at 11:45 a.m. (Room 101).

**Litigation Practice Panel** - Friday, March 10, at 11:45 a.m. (Room 642).

**Government Practice Panel** - Tuesday, March 14, 1989 at 11:45 a.m. (Room 101).

2) **Mock Interview Training Sessions** - Mock interview training sessions with a counselor will be available for those students seeking direct assistance in improving their interviewing skills. The interviews will be video-taped, replayed and critiqued in a private setting. There are a fixed number of time slots available on Monday, March 13, and Wednesday, March 15. Appointments will be made on a first come, first served basis. Students wishing an appointment should sign up immediately in Room 219 (please also submit a resume when you sign up).

### **NALP National Apartment Exchange**

The National Association for Law Placement National Apartment Exchange is a two-edition publication listing both apartments available and students seeking summer sublets throughout the United States. Edition I will be available in the Placement Office on March 10 and Edition II will be available April 10. Students still wishing either to list an apartment for summer sublet or to sublet an apartment must fill out the appropriate form and submit it to the Career Services Office by March 15 for inclusion in Edition II (forms are available in Room 221).

### **1989 Spring On-Campus Interview Program**

Students should consult the bulletin boards outside the Career Services Office on a daily basis to learn which recruiters have signed up for spring interviewing. Recruiters will be added to this list on an on-going basis as they register. This year's spring on-campus interview program will run from March 13 through April 14 and will once again be a consortium effort on the part of Chicago-Kent, John Marshall, Loyola and DePaul. A handout with detailed information and registration procedures is available now in the Career Services Office. This program is open to ALL students; third year students seeking associate positions and first and second year students seeking summer law clerk positions should be sure to take advantage of this interview program.

**Representative from McGeorge School of Law to Speak about Summer and Graduate International Studies Program** - Mr. Eric Pope, a representative from the European Headquarters of the McGeorge School of Law's International Studies Program, will be on-campus on Monday, February 27. He will speak individually to students interested in the graduate program. Those interested should sign up for an interview in Room 219. He will address students interested in the summer programs from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. in Room 326.

### **Alumni - Student Advisory Program**

First or second year students who wish to be paired with an alumni advisor to answer your questions and advise you regarding the legal sector, please see Barbara Clemmer in Room 221 to schedule an appointment with either Dean Saunders or Jeanne Kraft. Students interested in pursuing employment opportunities in other major metropolitan areas of the country should take advantage of the National Alumni Advisory Program. Alumni from 19 cities have volunteered to counsel students and alumni on the employment market in their respective cities and the best ways to work those markets. A handout listing these alumni is available in the Career Services Office.

**Public Interest Law Initiative (PILI): Summer Internship and Graduate Fellowship Programs** - The Public Interest Law Initiative (PILI) is now recruiting law students and recent law school graduates nationwide to work during the summer in public interest law agencies in Chicago. The summer internship program is open to both first and second year students and the fellowship program is open to graduating third year students. **The application deadline has been extended from February 1 to March 1, 1989.** See Handout #22 in the Placement Office for complete information.

**Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago/Illinois Migrant Legal Assistance**

**Project: Summer Internships** - The Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago is accepting applications for summer internships with their special legal project serving the legal needs of migrant farmworkers throughout Illinois. Applicants must be able to speak Spanish. Pick up Handout #37 for more information and application procedures.

**Prairie State Legal Services, Inc.: Summer Law Clerk Positions**

Prairie State, a public interest law firm serving the needs of the low income and elderly in Northern and Central Illinois will be hiring three to four summer law clerks. Interested first and second year students should pick-up handout #40 in the Career Services Office for full application procedures. Students are encouraged to apply now.

**Office of the State Appellate Defender, Third Judicial District: Summer Intern**

**Program** - The Office of the State Appellate Defender located in Ottawa, IL anticipates having three positions available in its Summer Intern Program. Second year students are preferred but first year students are also eligible. Students interested in criminal defense work for indigents should pick up Handout #41 in the Career Services Office. Interviews will be conducted in January and February.

**The National Lawyers Guild Legal Internships: Summer Projects** The National Lawyers Guild 1989 Summer Projects program will send 23 interns to projects throughout the country. Interns will have the opportunity to work on issues involving Asian-American housing and job rights, Central American and Haitian refugees, deaf people's rights, democracy in the Teamsters Union, farmworker rights, gay rights, government and corporate whistle-blowers, etc. A brochure describing all of the '89 Summer Projects and containing complete application instructions and form can be picked up in the Career Services Office (Handout #42).

**U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development: Summer Legal Intern and Honors Legal Intern Programs** - The Office of the General Counsel of Housing and Urban Development is continuing its recruitment efforts for second and third-year law students to fill the remaining positions in its Summer Legal Intern and Honors Legal Intern Programs. Interested students should pick up Handout #49.

**Northern Illinois University College of Law: Legal Writing Instructorships** - Northern Illinois is seeking to fill two legal writing instructorships for the academic year 1989-90. Applications should be submitted prior to March 20, 1989. For more information, see Handout #50.

**Americans United Research Foundation: Summer Intern Program**

The Americans United Research Foundation, Silver Spring, Maryland, is accepting applications for summer law interns who will be given an opportunity for direct involvement in the field of religious liberty and church-state relations. Deadline for application is April 15, 1989. Interested students should pick up Handout #51 in the Career Services Office.

**Advocates for Basic Legal Equality, Inc.: Summer Law Clerk Program** - ABLE is a non-profit law firm located in Toledo, Ohio, which offers high quality legal



services in civil matters to low-income individuals and groups in order to achieve equal opportunity, self-reliance and equality in the community. ABLE is currently accepting applications from first and second year students for 1989 summer law clerk positions in its Migrant Farmworker Program. Ability to communicate in Spanish is preferred although exceptionally qualified non-bilingual applicants may be considered. Access to a car throughout the summer is also necessary. For more information see Handout #48 in the Career Services Office.

**The National Law Center, George Washington University: Graduate and Teaching Fellowships in Law** - Applications for University Fellowships in Law (Teaching Fellowships) to commence in the Fall Term, 1989, are now being accepted. Fellows serve for a period of two years and teach Legal Writing and Research to first year students while working on their own advanced LL.M. law degree. Pick up Handout #44 for more information. Application deadline is April 15, 1989 but earlier submissions are encouraged.

**Legal Aid Society of New York: Summer Intern Program for 1L and 2L Students** - Traditionally only open to second year law students, the Legal Aid Society of New York's Summer Intern Program has been expanded this year to include a few first year students. The summer internship program is an organized educational program to introduce and expose the student intern to criminal defense work. Interested first and second year students should pick up Handout #43 for complete application procedures.

**1990-91 Clerkships with the Supreme Court of Oregon and the Oregon Court of Appeals** - Applications are now being accepted for clerkship positions with the Oregon Supreme Court and Oregon Court of Appeals. Applications will be accepted through May 12, 1989, and interviews will be conducted between June 19 and June 30. Interested students should pick up Handout #47.

**Mexican American Lawyers Scholarship Fund: Summer Fellowship Program** - The MALSF summer fellowship program provides an opportunity for law students of Mexican ancestry to obtain summer employment with a public interest law firm or other community based legal group. Eligible students should pick up program information and application forms from Jeanne Kraft in Room 219. Application deadline is March 1, 1989.

#### **WORK-STUDY STUDENT NEEDED**

The Office of Administration and Finance needs a work study student (starting immediately) to file and do other tasks. A working knowledge of Lotus 1-2-3 would be helpful. The pay rate is \$5.25 per hour for 20 hours a week. The hours are flexible. Please contact Joyce Oshodi at 567-7540 or in Room 324, if you are interested.

#### **UNCLASSIFIABLE, BUT VITAL**

**Prospective Third Year Students: Fall, 1989 Externship at U.S. Attorney's Office, Northern District of Illinois**

Those students who are interested in applying to extern at the Office of the

U.S. Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois for the Fall, 1989 semester, should see Professor Vivien Gross in Room 612 for an application. In addition to this application to the U.S. Attorney, students who wish to earn law school credit must also apply to the Law School's Advanced Externship Program. See Professor Gross in Room 612 for information and an externship application. Applications for the Advanced Externship must be completed and turned in to Professor Gross by Thursday, March 16.

**Advanced Externship Program: Third Year Students**

Do you wish to develop your legal skills and gain practical legal experience? Do you wish to work in a specialized area of law with a corporation, firm or government agency? Do you wish to make yourself more marketable to prospective employers upon graduation? If you have answered "yes" to any of the above questions, you should consider applying for the Advanced Externship Program for fall semester, 1989.

The Advanced Externship Program is a four-credit hour program. An extern is placed in a private or public, civil or criminal practice and is required to work 16 hours a week at his/her designated placement. Civil externs may be selected to work under the supervision of general counsel of major corporations, such as Playboy, Carson Pirie Scott, Mercy Hospital, The First National Bank of Chicago, Motorola, or under the supervision of designated teaching lawyers in well-known firms or specific government agencies. Externs may choose their preferred legal areas including tax, commodities, securities, corporate, health care, medical malpractice, and general corporate law, etc. Criminal externs work under designated supervising lawyers at the States Attorney's Office, Public Defender's Office or the U.S. Attorney's Office.

If you are interested in learning more about externship opportunities or in applying for the program, please see Professor Vivien Gross in Room 612.

Applications will be available on the second floor literature table and in Room 601. They must be turned in to Professor Gross by Thursday, March 16, 1989. All applicants must have scheduled an interview with Professor Gross prior to turning in their applications. Slots are limited. In the event qualified applicants outnumber available slots, students with at least one semester of Law Offices will be given priority.

**Clinic News**

Catherine Massarelli, a second year student at Chicago-Kent, was allowed to argue before the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals under the supervision of Professor Marc R. Kadish. The Seventh Circuit permitted Catherine to argue the severance issue in United States v. Donald Massanti after granting her motion to the court. To our knowledge this is the first time a second year law student has been allowed to argue before the court. (Third year clinical law students have been allowed to argue in the past.) Professor Kadish was the court appointed counsel at both the trial court and appeals court levels.

If you would like to possibly have an opportunity to take part in the Clinical program this summer, applications are now being accepted in Room 601.

**Judicial Externships: Fall, 1989 Semester**

Applications are available on the second floor and in Room 601, Law Offices. The completed applications to the various judges and magistrates must be submitted to Ms. Bea Battle in the Law Offices, Room 601, by Thursday, March 16, at 4:00 p.m.

Those students who are interested in the possibility of applying for a federal clerkship upon graduation, as well as those students seeking to improve their analytical and written skills or to experience an educationally demanding and rewarding semester, are urged to apply.

If you have any questions about the Judicial Externship Program, please contact Professor Gross in Room 612.

**Fall 1989 Semester Judicial Externships: Prospective Second and Third Year Students with Minimum 2.5 G.P.A.**

All interested students must submit their completed applications to the respective federal judges and magistrates to Ms. Bea Battle, Law Offices, Room 601, by Thursday, March 16, at 4:00 p.m.

If you have any questions either about the externship or about the application process, please see Professor Gross in Room 612.

Applications are available on the second floor and in Room 601, Law Offices.

**Advanced Externship, Fall Semester, 1989 Informational Meeting: Third Year Students**

All prospective third year students interested in the possibility of doing an externship during the Fall 1989 semester should attend an informational meeting on Tuesday, February 28, in Room 325 at 11:45 a.m.

**Summer, 1989 Judicial Externships: Prospective Second and Third Year Students With Minimum G.P.A. of 2.5**

Applications for Summer Judicial Externships are available on the second floor and in Room 601, Law Offices. Completed applications to the various federal judges or magistrates must be submitted to Ms. Bea Battle, Law Offices Receptionist, Room 601, by Monday, February 27, at 12:00 noon.

If you have any questions about either the externship or the application process, please see Professor Gross in Room 612.

**Intellectual Property Lecture**

Professor J. Thomas McCarthy, of the University of San Francisco, will speak on "Public Persona and Private Property: The Commercialization of Human Identity," on Monday, February 27, from 4:30-5:30 p.m. at Lincoln Hall, Northwestern University School of Law, 357 East Chicago Avenue. Professor McCarthy's lecture is the second annual Boal Memorial Lecture, sponsored by the U.S. Trademark Association and Brand Names Education Foundation. A reception will follow the lecture. Students and faculty members of area law schools will be admitted free of charge.

**Class Rank**

Class rank is now available for all students who have completed two or more semesters at Chicago-Kent. Rank is based on your cumulative G.P.A. as of the end of the Fall, 1988 semester and an estimation of your expected date of graduation. Class rank is considered tentative until you graduate, when an official rank is assigned. Rank is available in the Registrar's office, Room 306, during normal business hours, 24 hours after the completion of the class rank form. See pages 13-14 of the current student handbook for more information.